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**HEALTH FACILITIES &
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RE: #16-037, Fox Point Dialysis, Granite City

Dear Ms. Avery:

I am writing to notify the HFSRB that although I supported this project with patients from my practice and in good faith intended to work with DaVita to establish and refer my patients to this facility, that I am no longer associated with it. Due to subsequent business issues after project approval and as of February 2017 I will no longer be partnering with DaVita on the establishment or support of this facility.

It is my understanding that DaVita now has another group of physicians it is working with on this project. I simply wanted to make the Board aware.

Sincerely,

A.S. Cheema

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